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MAN ARRESTED WITH TWO POUNDS OF METHAMPHETAMINE SENTENCED TO FIFTEEN YEARS IN FEDERAL PRISON

TUCSON, ARIZONA –The United States Attorneys Office for the District of Arizona, announced that on May 27, 2003, Jose Luis Sepulveda-Pulido, DOB: May 4, 1978, of Santana, Michoacan, Mexico, was sentenced to 15 years imprisonment, by United States District Judge Raner C. Collins, in Tucson, Arizona.

Mr. Sepulveda-Pulido was arrested by DEA agents after he negotiated to sell two pounds of methamphetamine. Agents seized two pounds of methamphetamine from Mr. Sepulveda-Pulido and a codefendant.

Mr. Sepulveda-Pulida had entered a guilty plea to conspiring to possess with intent to distribute two pounds of methamphetamine.

The investigation in this case was conducted by the Drug Enforcement Administration.

The prosecution was handled by Reese V. Bostwick, Assistant United States Attorney, District of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona.

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